IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF PUERTO RICO



NOTICE TO COUNSEL NO. 05-09

The Criminal Justice Act Committee and the United States District Court for the District of Puerto Rico are cosponsoring a continuing legal education (CLE) seminar by the U.S. Sentencing Commission to be held on Friday, August 5, 2005 at the Centro de Banquetes Los Chavales, Ave. F.D. Roosevelt 253, Hato Rey, Puerto Rico. The conference will commence at 9:00 a.m. and conclude at 4:00 p.m. Registration will start promptly at 8:30 a.m. The program includes mid-morning and mid-afternoon breaks as well as lunch at noontime. This seminar is open to all members of the Bar of this Court in good standing. Spaces are limited and reservations will be made on a first-come, first-serve basis.

Attorneys are invited to register for a seat in the seminar immediately by sending an e-mail to: carmen_serrano@prd.uscourts.gov. Last day to register by e-mail is July 26, 2005 (the e-mail request MUST include full name and bar number). In order to maximize the spaces available and avoid last minute no-shows, the Court expressly restricts participation to those attorneys who commit themselves to full participation during the whole program. Any attorney with a reserved space who fails to attend will be required to explain the absence to the Court, in writing, as nonattendance will result in depriving another willing applicant from securing a seat. The Office of the Clerk will be issuing notices with confirmation of seats shortly. Only attorneys with seats confirmed by the Office of the Clerk shall attend the seminar.

In San Juan, Puerto Rico, this 12th day of July, 2005.

FRANCES RIOS DE MORAN, ESQ.

CLERK OF COURT

By: Argel A. Valencia-Aponte

Chief Deputy Clerk